

**IMMIGRATION NATION**

Episode 1: Origins of the White Australia Policy in the twentieth century 1901–1945

Episode 2: Post-war European immigration 1945–1975

Episode 3: Beginning of Asian migration and the end of the White Australia Policy 1945–1980s

**Episode 1: Origins of the White Australia Policy in the twentieth century 1901–1945**

1. What was the White Australia Policy/Immigration Restriction Act 1901?

Discuss the experience of Dennis O’Hoy’s family:

1. What was the Pacific Island Labourers Act 1901?

Discuss the experience of Matthew Nagas’s family:

1. What was the British settlement scheme of the 1920’s?

Discuss the experience Fred Challis’s family:

**Episode 2: Post-war European immigration 1945–1975**

1. Where was the best source for new migrants in Post-war Europe?
2. Discuss the experience Andrew Jankus:
3. Why was Australia looking for large numbers of migrants after the war?
4. Who was available?
5. Why were only some of these people considered to be acceptable?
6. How was the continuation of the White Australia Policy in this period still harming and discriminating against Asian refugees in Australia?

**Episode 3: Beginning ofAsian migration and the end of the White Australia Policy 1945–1980s**

How did the Vietnam War lead to the overturning of the White Australia Policy?

**11ENG Homework** Parent Signrature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Due Mon 12/09/11

Imagine you are forced to leave your country to survive and you go to a remote place, thousands of miles from your homeland, where you do not speak the language and you have very few (if any, companions) What would be the hardest thing, when having to leave your country? What difficulties would you experience in this new country?

Write a plan for a creative writing piece on this page

**Statement of Explanation:**

FORM

LANGUAGE

AUDIENCE

PURPOSE

CONTEXT

**Plan**